The Good News

in grad school was God Is Dead.

We triumphed. Not really much fun after all

was said and done, and said again.

Endgame, orgiastic,
& then hung over

faith hardened to dogma,
making theologians

comfortable, knowing that course shows more green

than rough. We stroked listlessy, after

landing in sexual traps & rehabs. Till grief scalloped the circus. God

has reprised his standup, tighter than ever,

flocking us with the most deadly, meretricious

shepherds the world has yet stomached.

But hey, be cool. All's a cycle & we'll come back. Already planning

to be robbed of our jewels in the seediest Vegas room.